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Seiji Sugiura et al.

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For: FUEL CELL HAVING INLET AND OUTLET
BUFFERS

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO ADVISORY ACTION

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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Advisory Action mailed April 23, 2009 (Paper No. 20090414) and the Final Office Action mailed January 6, 2009 (Paper No. 20081230), Applicants submit the following amendments and remarks in the above-identified U.S. patent application, along with a Request for Continued Examination (RCE):

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.